

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (Docket No. 406990)

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In re the Application of:

Rakesh Bhakta

Serial No.: 10/040,603

Filed: January 7, 2002

For: Gaming Device with Biometric System

Customer No. 27717

Art Unit: 2136

Examiner B. Hoffman

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MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant requests an five month extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee to Seyfarth Shaw Deposit Account No. 19-1351.

Respectfully submitted,

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